



# We cordially invite you to attend the Town Meeting!



## **COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT:** Mrs. Vicky Jordan

*The Community Spotlight series is a monthly column where the Town of Forest Heights recognizes an individual who has accomplished great work and/or has made a significant impact in the community. To nominate a person, please email suggestions to [liu.y.mimi@gmail.com](mailto:liu.y.mimi@gmail.com) or call 301-839-1030.*

Mrs. Vicky Jordan is considered somewhat of a community icon in the Town of Forest Heights. The Ward I resident has been a crossing guard in her own neighborhood for 34 years.

Every morning and every afternoon — rain or shine — Mrs. Jordan reports for duty at the corner of to stop traffic and help the neighborhood children across the street to Flintstone Elementary School at the corner of Quade Street and Spokane Drive . (Her crosswalk used to be Livingston Road and Comanche Drive before it moved to this section). Often times, she will smile and cheerfully greet and say goodbye to the children.

More than three decades later, Mrs. Jordan said the children that she used to cross from years past still recognize her.

“I have kids come back with their kids or kids whose parents still live in town come back and say ‘hello’ to me,” she said. “They say ‘Mrs. Jordan, I see you’re still standing here.’”

Mrs. Jordan is also a crossing guard at Barnaby Manor Elementary and Apple Grove Elementary, but has spent all her years working at Flintstone Elementary. She wakes up around 6 a.m. every day, and starts her shift first at Barnaby Manor Elementary, moving on to Apple Grove Elementary, then Flintstone Elementary. In the afternoons, she returns to Flintstone Elementary when the children are dismissed from school.

Several years ago, she was responsible for helping Forest Heights children cross Indian Head Highway. It took her and another crossing guard to safely move about 250 children over to the other side of town to Forest Heights Elementary School. The county school system ultimately established a bus stop there.

Mrs. Jordan has been a Town resident for more than 40 years. Both her children attended Flintstone Elementary School, and later went on to Oxon Hill Middle School and Oxon Hill High School. She also served on the Forest Heights Recreation Council when Councilman William E. Clarke was president of the Recreation Council.

“We used to put on spaghetti dinners and breakfasts on Sundays,” she said. “During springtime, we’d raise a lot of money for the community yard sales and boys and girls softball teams and help out [the Maryland National-Capital] Park and Planning [Commission]’s Summer Playgrounds program.”

Mrs. Jordan said she truly enjoys her job as a crossing guard.

“It’s a reason for me to get out of bed and start moving every day,” she said.

**Codes and Ordinances will be strictly enforced beginning May 1st. Residents that need a copy of the most recent Town of Forest Heights Codes and Ordinances copies they are available from the Town Clerk at the Municipal Building. Please come pick up your copy.**

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## FOREST HEIGHTS POLICE DEPARTMENT



Greetings, there are several topics I would like to discuss in this edition of our newsletter. First I want to commend the citizens who notified the police about suspected illegal drug activity in the area of Comanche Drive. Thanks to their attention we were able to respond and apprehend a local resident in possession of a suspected Controlled Dangerous Substance. Accordingly he was charged with possession with the intent to distribute (a felony) due to the amount found in his possession.

Next, it seems that we have a few reckless individuals in town operating off road type motor bikes. These individuals were spotted on North Huron Drive by our officers who gave chase but correctly ended it when it was apparent that citizens and property were in danger of being injured or damaged. Now their friends who saw this thought it was humorous and cheered them on. For the rest of the town members who have children and property that could be run over or damaged are not as amused. These bikes are not street legal and are unregistered and have no insurance. Therefore I would ask anyone with information regarding the identity of these individuals and the whereabouts of their bikes confidentially notify us. You can rest assured they will be charged appropriately and bikes will be seized. I am confident their luck will run out if they persist in disregarding public safety.

The plan for initiating the town's security camera program is continuing to move forward with its first phase in the later planning stage. Phase one will see cameras installed at each of the town's five entrances. A representative of the vendor recently met with Councilman Robert Barnes and I to preliminary discuss camera placement by visiting each sight.

There was a notice sent out to town residents that announced the town's plan to ensure that all residents who reside in Forest Heights and have motor vehicles registered in other states should be appropriately registered in the State of Maryland as required by State law. Commencement of police action for violators will begin in June. Please take time to ensure you are in compliance with the requirements of Maryland Law. There are some exceptions to the law requiring that out of state residents who permanently reside in Maryland must register their vehicle in this State. The exceptions are for those in active military services, a student enrolled in a college/university, a person who owns and reside in another property outside of Maryland in the state in which that vehicle is registered and a temporary visitor or a visitor here for medical treatment. If you do not meet these exceptions, within 60 days of moving into Maryland you must register you vehicle in this State. If anyone has any questions as always they may contact FHPD or the Maryland Motor Vehicle Administration's Customer Service Center at 410-768-7000. For those in need of MVA TTY/Hearing Impaired Assistance they may call 1-301-729-4563

*Col. S.W. Russell, Chief, FHPD*

### Would you like this neighborhood to be known as the Safest Place in Maryland?



We invite you to come learn about The Forest Heights Neighborhood Watch Program every 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday in each month at 7 pm-8 pm at the Forest Heights Municipal Building, Town Hall 5508 Arapahoe Drive.

Neighborhoods working together in Partnership with the Police make one of the best crime-fighting teams around!!



### Forest Heights Police Department April 2013 All Calls For Service

911 HANG UP 2	DISORDERLY SUBJECT(S) (ARMED) 1	SOUND OF GUN SHOTS 1
ASSAULT REPORT 2	DISPUTE BETWEEN PERSONS 1	SUSPICIOUS SUBJECT(S) 21
ASSIST CITIZEN 1	DOMESTIC DISPUTE 2	SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE 3
ASSIST OTHER UNIT (INCIDENT) 1	E.P.S. 2	SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE (OCCUPIED) 2
ASSIST OTHER UNIT (TRAFFIC) 2	FIGHT IN PROGRESS 1	THEFT (FROM AUTO) 1
ASSIST OUTSIDE AGENCY 7	HOUSE FIRE 1	THEFT (SHOPLIFTING) 1
AUTO THEFT 1	INVESTIGATION 1	TRAFFIC ACCIDENT 4
B & E (RESIDENTIAL) 3	JUVENILE COMPLAINT 1	TRAFFIC COMPLAINT 3
B & E IN PROGRESS 3	LANDLORD/TENANT DISPUTE 1	TRESPASSER 4
BURGLAR ALARM (AUTO) 1	LOITERING / VAGRANTS 1	UNKNOWN TROUBLE 3
BURGLAR ALARM (RESIDENTIAL) 4	MISSING PERSON 2	VANDALISM TO AUTO 1
CHILD ABUSE / NEGLECT 1	MISSING PERSON (RETURNED) 1	WARRANT SERVICE 1
CUSTOMER DISPUTE 1	PANHANDLER 2	<b>Total Calls Handled: 109</b>
DISORDERLY SUBJECT(S) 17	PANIC ALARM 1	

## Message from the Mayor's Office

With the last days of wintry weather behind us, I hope residents will take advantage of all the wonderful services and activities offered by the Town of Forest Heights. I am extremely pleased with the direction and progress that the Town is heading in. We have a new Council that is already hard at work addressing your needs and concerns.

I would like to also inform our citizens that a complaint was filed with the State Attorney's office in February alleging financial misconduct by me. For those citizens who wanted to know more information, I can now report that the State Attorney's office has sent notice to the town that after reviewing the requested financial records, found nothing to substantiate this complaint and have now closed the file. All financial reports are available online as well as a printed copy is available from the town treasurer upon request.

In mid-April, we kicked off the Town's new Walk for Health program, a six-week program that occurs every Monday and Friday at 9 a.m. at Bell Acres Neighborhood Park. Thanks to our new Health Coordinator, we will also be hosting seminars every fourth Thursday of the month on various health diseases. The first seminar on Diabetes was held April 25 at the town administration building. We are also making progress on our long-range town planning. Thanks to our Town Planner and input from residents at prior public hearings, we will be able to submit a final draft of the Town's Sustainability Plan by the June 27 deadline. This month, I am looking forward to the continuation of our Walk for Health program, as well as the second annual Kids Day Out event and another backyard/patio garden workshop.

But residents are also advised to exercise extreme caution and judgment. The warm weather is an opportune time for criminals to strike. Keep your eyes and ears open, and report any suspicious activity to police. In the aftermath of the explosions at the Boston Marathon and the reported Ricin-tainted mail to elected officials, you may be wondering what you can do to ensure the safety of you and your loved ones. Officials in the National Capital Region encourage all residents to take three simple steps: **Stay Informed, Be Vigilant, and Prepare:**

Always be aware of your surroundings – from your workplace to your neighborhood to a mall to public transportation. Remember, if you see something, say something.

Visit [www.capitalalert.gov](http://www.capitalalert.gov) to register for emergency alerts from your local jurisdiction. If you live in one place and work in another, be sure to sign up for alerts from both localities. You will be able to get alerts delivered to your email account (s) and as text messages to your cell phone.

Check the Town's website and Facebook page for the latest news/updates.

If you cannot easily locate someone in uniform, call one of the following numbers:

Washington, D.C.: 202-962-2121

Maryland: 1-800-492-TIPS (8477)

Virginia: 1-877-4VA-TIPS (482-8477)

For imminent threats, **call 911.**

You should also prepare simple plans such as a Family Communications Plan and emergency contact cards for your children and elderly/disabled relatives.

Additional Links:

[www.fema.gov](http://www.fema.gov)

[www.ready.gov](http://www.ready.gov)

[www.mema.maryland.gov](http://www.mema.maryland.gov)

Finally, I strongly encourage Town residents to visit the Maryland Department of Agriculture's Mosquito Control website [http://mda.maryland.gov/plants-pests/Pages/mosquito\\_control.aspx](http://mda.maryland.gov/plants-pests/Pages/mosquito_control.aspx), which is filled with excellent resources and facts on what you can do to help. This is an extremely important issue. [Last year, we had one case of the West Nile Virus reported in our area.](#) Mosquitoes can breed in as little as 1/4 inch of water — that's a teaspoon of water! Residents should get rid of all empty beverage containers, plastic wrappers, discarded toys and other plastic items in the yard, check for trapped water in plastic or canvas tarps, and clean out rain gutters. By taking these simple steps, we are helping to ensure a safer and better Town for everyone.

*Mayor Jacqueline Goodall*

Dear Friends,

**ATTENTION:** The Town just received confirmation from the Maryland Energy Administration (MEA) that Forest Heights was selected for up to \$30,000 in Maryland Smart Energy Communities Program grant funds. In Addition, Forest Heights is eligible for up to \$35,000 in grant funds for projects serving the low and moderate income residents in Forest Heights. The grant funding described above is conditional upon MEA and Forest Heights being able to agree to a grant scope of work that complies with the requirements.

## Town Community News

First, I would like to thank our Police Dept, for the exceptional job they are doing with a shortage of manpower. As you know, the Police can't do it all. We need our citizens to become the eyes and ears of the community, be it an active Neighborhood Watch participant or just a citizen who notices something out of the ordinary that's happening in his or her neighborhood. We need to come together as a community to help prevent crime and illegal dumping in our town.

The week of April 21st we had an incident involving a cement truck that dropped a load at the dead end on Arapahoe Drive. I'm assuming no one saw it, because no calls were made to the Police or Public Works Departments. Keep in mind this is our town, and any extra clean up that's necessary comes out of our tax dollars. The bottom line is we either prevent it or we pay for it. If you see something suspicious, report it.

*Councilman Robert Barnes*

### Forest Heights residents, partners work together for a cleaner community



In celebration of Earth Day (April 22), the Town of Forest Heights teamed up with local partners on April 27 to clean up trash from Oxon Run. It was a very productive morning, and our volunteers were able to witness first-hand the impact that littering has on our local/regional waterways.

Students at Forest Heights Elementary School also participated in a Trash Cleanup on April 22. Students in pre-kindergarten through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade worked to clean the schoolyard while students in grades 3-6 worked to clean parts of Oxon Run Creek. According to the Alice Ferguson Foundation, approximately 300 students took part in this important event, and collected over 200 pounds of trash! The activity was held in honor of Earth Day, as well as the Foundation's 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Potomac Watershed Cleanup.

We will like to give a special thanks to all of our Volunteers.



### Hey Town Resident

**We are putting out a request for Volunteers for the 2013 Forest Heights Day!**

**Please call the office to get on the Committee 301-839-1030.**

### FOREST HEIGHTS ENDOWMENT FUND

Several residents in Forest Heights have organized an Endowment Committee to build an Endowment Fund. The revenue from the Endowment Funds will be used to help fund youth programs and senior programs. The principal Funds will not be touched and will be used only to generate revenue to help the Town cover the cost of programs for seniors and youth. The goal is to build the Fund up to two million dollars. Current members of the Board of Directors include: Anne Reifsneider, Chairman, John Bryan, Mary Burnett, Cynthia Mann, and Vern Haefele. Feel free to contact Anne Reifsneider if you have any questions 301-839-1146. Many people contribute to Endowment Funds because they want to leave funds to help pay for the future needs of youth and seniors of their community. Generally, this is done by wills, insurance policies, real estate, annual contributions etc. The Endowment Fund must organize with by-laws, secure the 501c3 designation and develop guidelines regarding how the funds can be used by the Town and finally meet the requirements of the state of Maryland.



**What Do the Different Paint Color-Coding on the Street Mean?** Blue- Water line, Green-Sewer line, Yellow-Gas line, Red-Electric and orange-Fiber optic / Phone.

**Did WSSC dig up your grass and repair it but it's still not growing?  
If so please call the office for Vern Haefele at 301-839-1030.**

## Community Healthy Heights Tips

Forest Heights Healthy Living Program invites you to a seminar

### Understanding Strokes

Thursday May 24, 2013 @1-2pm

Presenter: Sheinah Prudent, RN

Town of Forest Heights Municipal Building

5508 Arapahoe Dr. Forest Heights, MD 20745

RSVP by May 20th at 301-839-1030 for free box lunch



Forest Heights Youth Sports Festival!!

NATIONAL KIDS TO PARKS DAY

Saturday May 18, 2013 @ Noon-4

Bell Acres Park (N. Huron & Mohican drives)

Forest Heights, Maryland 20745

**Activities:** skating, tennis, basketball, soccer, football, lacrosse, jump rope, and relay races. Snacks provided.



**BRAIN TONIC** Sarah Beall married Sam Magruder in early 1700. A century later some of the Beall and Mcgruder families moved from Maryland to the great land boom in Georgia for a new exciting life with many challenges. Martha Bernetta Beall married into the Candler family. Martha's son Asa Candler by 1887 had established one of the largest pharmacies in Atlanta. A chemist named John Pemberton developed a sweet syrupy drink that he sold as a "Brain Tonic". In 1887 Asa Candler purchased the Pemberton Company for \$2300. He changed the original formula of the drink but retained the name "COCA-COLA". I am sure we all wish we had been direct descendant of the Candler family.

THOUGHT: On average, Americans eat 18 acres of Pizza every day.

**Utility Service Program** available to Forest Heights Residents that will cover most of the expenses associated with water and sewer line repair from your house to main sewer line and or the water meter. The letters will be mailed on May 10<sup>th</sup>. This optional Utility Service Program is provided through the National League of Cities (NLC) and administered by Service Line Warranties of America (SLWA).

### Rain Barrel Workshop

Create your own rain barrel to turn roof runoff into water for your garden.

Save money and help the Bay

**Rain barrel workshop**, learn the benefits and installation process; rain barrels available for purchase. Sponsored by the Bowie Lions Club. 9-10 a.m., Bowie City Hall, Room 243, 15901 Excalibur Rd. Free, registration required. 301-809-3043 or [www.cityofbowie.org/index.aspx?nid=648](http://www.cityofbowie.org/index.aspx?nid=648).



# Senior Community News

**The Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP)** operated by the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development. Free Programs and Single Family Special Loans. Two more Forest Heights residents took advantage of the Free Home Weatherization Program.

They were awarded this service through a Collaboration Grant from MEA. Mayor Goodall is continuously seeking ways to assist residents with weatherization and ask that residents take advantage of these grants. Call Ms. Reifsneider if you are interested in our ongoing program for weatherization.

Call Anne Reifsneider  
for appointment 301-839-1146



## 60+ Plus Committee welcomes you to Senior Bingo and Community Cards

Councilman Robert Barnes & Ms. Anne Reifsneider work to provide activities and service to our citizens. Please mark your calendar for the:

**Senior Bingo FIRST THURSDAY of each Month from 10:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m.**



**Community Cards FIRST and THIRD SATURDAY of each month from 1:00 –3:00 p.m.**

For information on any of these programs, or to get involved, contact Councilman Barnes at 301-839-1030 ext. 303 anytime day or night, and leave a message.

## Ward III Residents!

Ward III Council Members invite all to come out to meet, let's talk and ask questions, make suggestions. We will attempt to answer your questions, and if we don't have an answer, we'll find out, Come out to meet your neighbors. Thursday May 16, at 7:00 p.m.

*Council members Habeeb-Ullah Muhammad and Larry Stoner*

**FOREST HEIGHTS CONTINUES TO GO GREEN THRU HEALTHY EATING BACKYARD/PATIO GARDEN WORKSHOP  
IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN GROWING YOUR OWN:  
COME OUT TUESDAY 14, 2013 AT 6:30 P.M.**

*HOT PEPPERS*



*STRING BEANS*



*FRESH HERBS*



The Forest Heights Healthy Living Program director, Mrs. Charmaine Turner, invited Dr. James Dula to speak on prevention and managing diabetes for citizens in the Forest Heights community.

During the presentation Dr. Dula, CDC Executive Director and former Deputy Chief Administrator of the Health and Human Service for Prince George's County, said "our entire community must unite in an effort to spread awareness for good nutrition practices and heighten awareness concerning diabetes."

Turner encourages the Town of Forest Heights to attend free monthly seminars for the purpose of increasing knowledge on how to prevent diseases and other life threatening sicknesses.



# Town Community News (continued)

## Just a Reminder Forest Heights Town Citizens:



One of the mandates from the Town is to improve our community in **“Out of State”** tag enforcement. The Forest Heights Police Department will begin enforcement efforts **June 2013**. The law requires that Maryland residents display Maryland tags on their vehicles within 60 days of residency. Part of the registration fee for Maryland tags is funneled to our community. Additionally, properly registered vehicles aid the police in identifying your vehicle should it be stolen.

### §21-1004. Additional Parking Regulations.

- (a) Manner of parking generally.—Except as otherwise provided in this section, a vehicle that is stopped or parked on a two-way roadway shall be stopped or parked parallel to the right hand curb or edge of the roadway, with its right hand wheels within 12 inches of that curb or edge of the roadway.
- (b) Parking on one-way roadway.—Except as otherwise provided by local ordinance, a vehicle that is stopped or parked on a one-way roadway, in the direction of authorized traffic movement; with
  - (1) Its right hand wheels within 12 inches of the right hand curb or edge of the roadway; or
  - (2) Its left hand wheels within 12 inches of the left hand curb or edge of the roadway.



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**RECOGNIZE ALL GRADUATES**  
**FOR A JOB WELL DONE!**  
**PLEASE CALL OR DROP OFF**  
**YOUR NAME OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW FOR**  
**THE JUNE'S NEWSLETTER!**

*Pretend That Every Single Person You Meet Has A Sign Around Their Neck That Says “Make Me Feel Important”. Not Only Will You Succeed In Sales, You Will Succeed In Life.*

*Mary Kay Ash, founder of Mary Kay Cosmetics*

## Conference Of Minority Transportation Officials

### CAREERS IN TRANSPORTATION FOR YOUTH (CITY)

#### 2013 Summer Internship Program

#### ATTENTION COLLEGE STUDENTS!

#### *Interested in a Career in Public Transportation?*

Get 10 weeks of hands-on experience this summer with the Conference of Minority Transportation Official's and the Federal Transit Administration's *Careers In Transportation for Youth (CITY) Summer Internship Program*.

**WHO:** College Juniors and Seniors **WHEN:** June 3 through August 9, 2013 **LENGTH:** 10 Weeks

**WHERE:** Atlanta, GA/ Baltimore, MD/ Dallas, TX/ Denver, CO/New York, NY/ Philadelphia, PA/ San Francisco, CA / Washington, DC

**ELIGIBILITY:** Applicants must be:

- From an underrepresented group
- U.S. citizens currently enrolled in an undergraduate degree granting program of study at an accredited institution of higher learning
- Full-time students who will be juniors or seniors in the fall of 2013 and have a minimum Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.5 or equivalent

**COMPENSATION:** \$500 per week, plus \$40 weekly transportation stipend

**BONUS:** Interns will also attend COMTO's 42nd National Meeting & Training Conference in Jacksonville, Florida July 13-17, 2013

**NOTE:** Housing is NOT provided. Applicants MUST reside in internship area. **APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 10, 2013**

For additional information contact: COMTO National [cityinterns@comto.org](mailto:cityinterns@comto.org) [www.comto.org](http://www.comto.org) or Betty Jackson Workforce Development Program Manager 202.366.1730 [betty.jackson@dot.gov](mailto:betty.jackson@dot.gov)



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## Town Community News (continued)

# PNC's Shred Event

At the PNC Woodmore Towne Centre Branch

Saturday - May 18 - 10-1

Stop by the **PNC Woodmore Towne Centre Branch** and bring your sensitive documents to be shredded. While you're there, find out useful tips on what it means to be environmentally friendly.

- FREE Refreshments
- FREE Document Shredding
- Spin to win on the PNC Prize Wheel
- Ask how you can enter for a chance to win\* an Apple® iPad® mini.



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M-Th 9-5 • F 9-6 • Sat 9-1



\*No purchase or transaction necessary to enter or to win. Must be 18 years or older to enter. See a PNC Bank Woodmore Towne Centre Branch representative for official rules and entry forms. One entry per individual.  
\*\*These requirements: For opening Select Checking Account or 1st or 2nd Online with Performance Spend or for opening between 9/30 and 9/30/13. To qualify for a \$50 direct deposit reward, a qualifying direct deposit must be received within 60 days of account opening. To qualify for a \$50 Check Card reward, a PNC Bank Visa® Check Card must be issued to you and at least 10 purchases made with your Check Card must post to your new checking account within 60 days of account opening. To qualify for a \$50 Bill Pay reward, a minimum of 5 payments must be completed via PNC Direct Bill Pay, within 60 days of account opening. \*For checking account, must remain open in order for you, for 12 months or all of the months, which will be credited to the eligible account within 60 days after all conditions have been met and will be identified as "Cash Trans From Rewards" on your monthly statement. A qualifying Direct Deposit is defined as a recurring Direct Deposit of a paycheck, pension, Social Security or other regular monthly income electronically deposited into either a new or existing Select Checking Account, or the Spend Account or a Small Business with Performance Spend. The total amount of all qualifying direct deposits credited to your checking account must be at least \$750. The Direct Deposit must be made by an employer or an outside agency. Transfers from one account to another, or deposits made at a branch or ATM, do not qualify as Direct Deposits. New account will not be eligible for offer if any signer has signing authority on an existing PNC Bank consumer checking account or has opened an account within the past 90 days. For this offer, signing authority will be defined by the customer's name(s) and social security number(s) registered on the account. PNC Bank customers with an existing consumer checking account are not eligible for this offer. In the event that we determine on our sole discretion that your account does not meet the eligibility criteria or the activity on your account does not qualify as a qualifying Direct Deposit, we will not be obligated to credit your account with the reward.  
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### ORDINANCE CODE SECTION 11.2. Duty to Cut Grass

The owner and/or occupants of land to which this ordinance applies shall not allow tall grass or weeds to grow over six inches (6") in height throughout the growing season, including grass and weeds in the right-of-way, and it shall be the duty of all owners and/or occupants of land located in Forest Heights either to cut or otherwise destroy by lawful means all tall grass and weeds, as defined in this ordinance, which are growing upon said property, before they reach a seed-bearing stage, and to prevent said weeds from perpetuating themselves and from becoming a detriment to public health. On an undeveloped lot, tall grass and weeds must be cut back at a distance of at least thirty (30) feet from the roadway so as to allow a clear line of site.

### ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

Phone (301) 839-1030 Fax (301) 839-9236  
8:30a.m.—5:00 p.m.  
[www.forestheightsmd.gov](http://www.forestheightsmd.gov)

# COMMUNITY CALENDAR MAY 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2 BINGO 10:00-1:00 p.m. Neighborhood Watch 7:00 p.m.	3 Last Day to order Share Food Package	4 14th Annual Harlem Renaissance Festival The Columbia Park Landover, MD 20785
5	6 TOWN MAYOR/COUNCIL WORKSHOP 7:30p.m.	7	8 Yard Waste	9 May 9-19 UniverSoul Circus Capital Plaza Mall Landover Hills, MD 20784 Bulk Trash	10	11
12 Happy Mother's Day 	13 Trash/Recycling	14 Backyard/Patio Garden Workshop 6:00 p.m.	15 MAYOR/COUNCIL MEETING 8:00 p.m.	16 Ward III Meeting 7:00 p.m. Bulk Trash	17 p.m.	18 National Kids to Parks Day 12:00-4:00 p.m.  Pirate Fest Marlboro, MD 20772
19 The Color Run National Harbor, MD 20743	20 Trash/Recycling	21	22 Yard Waste	23	24 Understanding Strokes 1-2 p.m. RSVP for free box lunch  May 24-25 Annie (the musical) Harmony Hall Regional Center Fort Washington MD 20744	25
26	27 MEMORIAL DAY OFFICE CLOSE 	28 May 28-29 Scripps National Spelling Bee Gaylord National Resort National Harbor, MD 20745	29	30	31	

**WHEN WAS THE LAST TIME YOU ATTENDED A TOWN MEETING?**

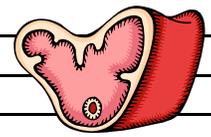
## SHARE FOOD NETWORK FOR MARCH Pick up Saturday May 18, 2013

ORDER AND PAY By May 3, 2013

10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. **NOTE CASH ONLY**

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<u>Package "A"</u> <b>Value Package</b> <u>\$20.00</u>	<u>Package "B"</u> <b>Memorial Day Steak</b> <u>\$21.00</u>	<u>Package "C"</u> <b>Pork Chops</b> <u>\$21.00</u>
Chicken Thighs 2 lbs.	3,8 ounce New York Strip Steaks	16, 6-ounce Boneless pork chops
Ground Beef 1 lbs.	3, 8 ounce Ribeye Steaks	
Chicken Drums 1.6 lbs.		
Seasoned Chicken Strips 0.75 lbs.		
Long Grain White Rice 1 lbs.		
Pinto Beans 1 lbs.		
White Potatoes and 4-5 more amazing produce items!		



**NOTE: IF ORDER IS NOT PICKED UP BY 11:00 A.M. FOOD WILL BE GIVEN AWAY**